

CORRECTION

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S5347–S5394*

**Measures Introduced:** Seven bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1516–1522, S.J. Res. 26, and S. Res. 258. **Pages S5386–87**

**Measures Reported:**

H.R. 2112, making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2012, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 112–73)

H.R. 2017, making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2012, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 112–74)

H.R. 2354, making appropriations for energy and water development and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2012, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 112–75) **Page S5386**

**Measures Passed:**

*Joint Session of Congress to Receive a Message from the President:* Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 74, providing for a joint session of Congress to receive a message from the President. **Page S5392**

*National Celiac Disease Awareness Day:* Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 219, designating September 13, 2011, as “National Celiac Disease Awareness Day”, and the resolution was then agreed to. **Pages S5392–93**

*National Adult Education and Family Literacy Week:* Senate agreed to S. Res. 258, supporting the designation of National Adult Education and Family Literacy Week. **Page S5393**

**Measures Considered:**

*Leahy-Smith America Invents Act—Agreement:* Senate began consideration of H.R. 1249, to amend title 35, United States Code, to provide for patent reform, after agreeing to the motion to proceed. **Pages S5353–57, S5370–77**

A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at approximately 10:30 a.m., on Thursday, September 8, 2011; that the following amendments be the only first-degree amendments in order to the bill: Coburn Amendment No. 599; Sessions Amendment No. 600; and Cantwell Amendment No. 595; that there be up to five hours of debate on the amendments divided in the following manner: 75 minutes for Senator Coburn, or his designee; 1 hour for Senator Sessions, or his designee; 45 minutes for Senator Cantwell, or her designee; 1 hour for Senator Grassley, or his designee; and 1 hour for Senator Leahy, or his designee; that upon the use or yielding back of time, Senate vote on or in relation to the amendments in the following order: Sessions Amendment No. 600; Cantwell Amendment No. 595; and Coburn Amendment No. 599; that no other amendments or points of order be in order to any of the amendments or the bill prior to the votes; and that following disposition of the amendments, Senate vote on passage of the bill, as amended, if amended. **Page S5377**

*Escort Committee—Agreement:* A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the President of the Senate be authorized to appoint a committee on the part of the Senate to join with a like committee on the part of the House of Representatives to escort the President of the United States into the House Chamber for the Joint Session at 7 p.m., on Thursday, September 8, 2011. **Page S5393**

**Messages From the House:**

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**Measures Placed on the Calendar:** **Pages S5347–48 S5382–83**

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